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BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1944

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GOULD QUINT HAS FINE BUDGET COMMITTEE INCREASING TREASURER EL

Dividing a two game series with Stephens High of Rumford and ever made. Their one defeat came \$141.65 above the \$600,00 of 1943. early in the season at Rumford The articles on which the comthus giving them opportunity to mittee reached no conclusion were 10 games to finish the season.

Rumford and the strong Old Or- be seriously considered Monday. their league. The team has shown passing over articles on raising and finish strong. They showed aid road construction and advertheir ability to come from behind tising the town. in defeating Norway at Norway, Fryeburg at Fryeburg and Mexico Art. here at Bethel. This year's team 6 Treasurer's salary has maintained the record of other Gould teams in that no outside team has yet beaten Gould on the 9 Common Schools Field House court, since it was 10 Secondary Schools opened three years ago.

The team's offense was built | 12 School Supplies around their center, Francis Ber- 13 Repair of school houses 300,00 ry, the only Gould veteran to start 14 Insurance school houses 200,00 the season, He proved his worth 15 School Physician as he led his teammates in scoring 16 School Superintendent 741.65 with 139 points. The starting for- 20 Roads and bridges wards, McInnis and Bryant, along 19 Public Health Nursing with the guards, Bennett and Em- 21 Winter roads ery, as well as Berry, will all be 22 Bituminous road surface 700 00 lost through graduation. Their loss 24 Maint. State roads will be severely felt when the next | 25 Maint. third class roads 925.00 season rolls around. Archie Young 27 Land damage, Tyler St. 151.00 who has played as a guard in every 28 To build Tyler St. game, will be the only returning 29 Maintenance sewers letterman for the team of '45. 30 Support of poor Allen and Lawry with some serv- 31 Town officers ice as reserves look good for the 32 Abatements

coming year. This year's record reads: Gould 26 Rumford Gould 41 - Fryeburg Gould 21-Rumford 45 Gould 28 Norway Gould 37 -Old Orchard 35 Gould 32 South Paris 13 Gould 43 Oxford Gould 14 Norway 11 Gould 27 South Paris 15 Gould 32 Mexico Gould 52 Oxford Gould 33-Mexico Gould 29 Fryeburg

- (2000) BETHEL NEAR QUOTA IN STATE WAR CHEST

415 Totals

nounce that the amount of \$910.47 the second of the series of softhas been collected in the town of ball games held Friday afternoon Bethel. While this did not meet on the ball field of the Hotel Orthe quota of \$1050,00 that was set | mond. Starring for the Starfish for the town, I believe it is a very were Lucia Tikander, George Cucreditable showing. I wish to sack, Al Mann, and Louis Graziosi. thank all the contributors and peo- In the Dolphin lineup were Marple who have helped in their many garet Hanscom, Hilda Brown, Olga ways to carry on this worthwhile Pierce and James Cusack. These work Elwood F. Ireland, Chair- games have become a weekly atman for Bethel.

EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Harod Stanley was the week Rodney Howe, and family

went to Upton Sunday to see about The young people played where the removal of snow from roofs following supper. of the camp.

home over the week end. Lend II Nevens spent the week Mrs. June Hills Hunter and ot i-

West Bethel.

end with Albert Smith in Mason, Mrs. F W. Wight Wednesday of her work at Leland Coolidge's Cross drive. Tuesday and returned to her home Mr and Mrg Herbert Morton at South Bethel

Newry is the guest of her sister, burn Friday. Mrs Charles Smith, for a few Mrs Robert Davis went to Port-

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mer. Earl Davis of Bethel. E. A. Billings were Miss Beatrice Miss Elaine Vail of Gould Acad-Brown and Mrs Robert Billings emy was at home Sunday for din of Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. Victor ner.

Brooks of Bryant Pond. J C Bartlett is reported as gaining slowly at the Rumford and Mrs. L. E. Wight with a box Hospital His daughter, Mrs. supper Biarles Secord, and daughter, Frankie Vail, Rob Morton and Shirley of Bulfalo, N Y., came Pete Vall went to Errol fishing Thursday to visit her parents.

TAVORS

RECORD: ONE DEFEAT -EXTENDING TYLER STREET At the meeting of the budget committee at the Selectmen's of-Stephens High of Rumford and winning all other games on their 1944 slate gave Gould Academy the enviable record of 12 wins to one renviable record of 12 wins to one haps a more complete way than loss. They easily won the Class haps a more complete way than has been the custom, although on ty, defeating each of their County no agreement. They would advise competitors twice. Norway with no agreement. They would advise eight wins and two losses ranked an increase of \$100 in the salary next to Gould. While by no means of the treasurer, but did not plan the best team to come out of the Bethel school of late, the surprise ed for the town officers. The team of this season has set up the amount recommended for the best won and lost record made here town's share of the school superfor many years, perhaps the best intendent's salary was raised

set up a consecutive win streak of in regard to discontinuing the Northwest Bethel school, and The team has featured a strong changing the time for balloting for man to man defense all over the elective officers and transaction of floor and has kept opopnents, in busines at the annual meetings of many instances, bewildered and the town. The latter article has caused them to ithrow the ball the support of many who believe away, hurry their passes, and make something should be done to enwild shots at the basket. The courage increased interest and "highlights" of the season were perticipation in the business meetthe wins over Stephens High of ing. Both of the questions should

chard High team, champions of The committee was in favor of a tendency all year to start slowly money for school lunches, State

Amounts recommended are:

\$300.00 7 Price for collecting taxes 172 15c for excise tax 12,500.00 9,000,00 11 Textbooks 400.00 724.00 3,000.00 100.90 3,000.00 1,130,00 250.00 250.05 3,000.00 3,800.00 33 Memorial Day observance 50.00 34 Bethel Band 200,00 36 Treasurer's bond 35.00

43 Liability insurance Ruth Donahue was guest of honor at a birthday party at her home Friday evening. Guests were Laura Belle Bennett, Marlene Anderson. Eleanor Gurney, Dorls Wermenchuck, Phyllis Merrill, Harry Colc. Donald Croteau, Donald Lord, Robert Tifft and Eldon Greenleaf,

40 Miscellaneous account 1,900.00

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Collector's bond

Fire expense

41 Bethel Library

42 Interest

The following is from a Florida newspaper, The Ormond Beach As chairman of the State War Starfish batted out a 13-7 victory Chest in Bethel, I wish to an-lover the Bethel Inn Dolphins in fair and are well-attended.

NORTH NEWRY

Walter Brinck has finished work end guest of her daughter, Mrs. for Roland Ficet, Sunday River, and returned to his home here. Ann Newmarker spent the week! The Church Supper at the home end with Mary and Alice Hastings, of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Morton Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings Friday night was well attended.

Paul and Owen Wight spent the Miss Deborah Farwell was at week end at Errol, N. H., with relatives.

end with "Buddy" Kneeland at c. Red Cross committees from Rumford met with some of time ling Hashings spent the week people of Newry at the home of Miss Gertrude Mason completed ternoon in the interest of the Red

Jr. and children and Mrs. Herbert Mrs Haakon Olson of North Morton were in Lewiston and Au-

land Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs.

The whist party next Friday night will be at the home of Me

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A HOPE FOR MARCH 1944



Mrs. Winfield Howe spent the week end in Portland. from the Rumford hospital,

the W. S. C. S. this Thursday af- remain good through Mar. 20. ternoon.

Hanscom Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Andrews remain good through Mar. 20. visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Frank E. Hanscom is spend- through Mar. 31. her daughter, Mrs. C. P. Bailey. Book Three good indefinitely for if. Odell was the guest of his grandparents, to good indefinitely. 400.00 | week.

A crew of Bethel Inn workmen pons good to Sept. 30. 150.00 are razing the buildings on the N. F. Brown place at the foot of A book good for three gallons Mill Hill.

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanles coupons good for five gallons. Wentzell, at Kennebago over the week end.

Sgt. Wilfred Boulanger was hon- C cars, Feb. 29. or guest at a dinner party given by the pumper company of the above except as follows: fire department at the Bethel Res. Tire Inspection: Inspection deadtaurant Monday evening. After lines for A cars Mar. 31, for B cars dinner they went to the fire house June 30, for C cars, May 31. for a social evening.

Richard Crockett and Miss Betty Pupils of the seventh grade with Cleveland from Norway visited his their teacher, Miss Gwendolyn parents, Mr. and Mrs Ray Croe- Stearns, and Karl Stearns enjoyed ket! Sunday.

several weeks with her parents, after school. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Ireland, prior Rachael Brown, Catherine Stevto entering a training school for ent. Barbara Pretty, Phyllis Mer-

families and friends.

BETHEL LOCAL NEWS RATION TIMETABLE

10 points each, good through May ever, Berry tied the score with a ough at his home at West Paris. Mrs. Ordell Anderson was hos- 20. Red tokens worth one point neat basket, Emery dropped a free

The Misses Arlene Greenleaf and A8, B8, C8, D8 and E8 in Bock GOULD (29) Barbara Luxton were in Berlin Four, worth 10 points each, good rf. Bryant through May 20. Blue tokens, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bailey and worth one point each, used as if, McInnis son were guests of Mrs. Frank E. change. Green stamps K, L and M retaining values printed on face, rg, Emery of Whitinsville, Mass., have been 'Sugar: "Sugar" stamp No. 30 in | Isook Four good for five pound)

Carlton Brown of Kennebunk one pair Stamp 18 in Book One al-

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lapham, last Fuel Oil: Period Three coupons good to Mar. 13. Period Four cou-ig. Gallagher

Gasoline: No. 9 Stamps in basic

lines for A cars, Mar. 31; for B and

a snowshoe like and supper at 1. as Leslie Ireland is spending "Devil's Kitchen" Tuesday nigh. till, Lois Ann Van, Eleanor Gur-The regular meeting of Sanset ney, Jerry Davis, Richmond Davis Rebekah Lodge will be held Mon- Lee Carver, Dick Ireland, Edwir, day evening, March 6, preceded by Bumpus, Earle Cummings, Harry a pot luck supper for members, Cole, Laurence Winslow, John

Processed Foods: Blue stamps

ing a few days in Lewiston with Shoes: Aeroplane stamp No 1 in rf. Burnell

through May 8. B1 and C1 coupons] Miss Mary Wentzell visited her good for two gallons.. B2 and C2 Tire Inspection: Inspection dead-

was out of town. Grover and Donald Lord.

HERO'S REWARD—DEVINE ISLAND

AN Island in the South Pacific Major Devine was promoted to Lieu-now bears the name of a Cann-tenant-Colonel. For this fine action dian National Railways employee an island in the Pacific was named in recognition of a heroic exploit. In his honor. It is Devine Is-



from the Invesment of the Canadlan National System. For more than twenty years prior to the out-

A native of Abbeville, South Caroiand in the New lina, Colonel Devine spent his boy-deorgia group, head days in Three Rivers, Quebec, named after Lt. Co. James W. Devine, of Porting and 1919, He transferred to the Railformer police of way's Investigation Department in now on 1932. Colonel Devine utilized his leave of absence annual vacations from railroading to pursue special military courses ilgation Depart- in Maine's National Guard.

A fine record has been set up by men from the Canadian National Rallways Investigation Department, according to Geo. A. Shea, the Director, who reports that from the forces in Canada and the United prior to the outbreak of war and while on the Railway's star, Colonel Devine was a member of the Maine National Guard as a first lieutenant. At his induction he was promoted to captain and assigned as commandant officer to the U.S. Army Service Company, 103rd Infantry, 43rd Division, later obtaining ing his majority. For leading tank attacks to crack the outer defences of the Japanese held Munds have considered men have forces of both countries. In Canadian Paratroopers, while the greater number a considerable proportion have gained commissions, one having become a lieutenant in the Canadian Paratroopers. While the greater number are in the army famiry, 43rd Division, later obtains and afr forces, a surprisingly large number of the railway occurity forces are now in both the Royal Canadian and Paratro Service.

HAMLIN-DAVIS

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E, Davis of Rethel are announcing the marriage of their aughter. Kathryn, to Charles G. Hamlin, Q.M. 3c, U. S. Naval Reserve, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer H. Hamlin, Gorham, ion. N. H.; Mrs. Alma LaFayette, M. A. Hinkley and son Billy, West- Angeline Russell Robertson, Exter and Miss Guinild Mikkelson,

Mrs, Hamlin was graduated from from Gorham High Bethel days. graduaten School in 1889, College, Lewiston. 'e U. S. Naval Friday afternoon at 3:00. on active duty in the *. 1943. Reserve since Febrille,

GOULD WINS THRILLER Gould Academy, trailing most a. the game, came from behind to defeat Fryeburg Academy last Friday 29-23. The losers put up a great game until Gould finally rallied to clinch the game in the last part of the final period. Fryeburg led 10-6 and 15-11 at the end of each of the first two periods. They held the lead until just before the third stanza ended when baskets by Allen and Berry sent Gould out Meats and Fats: Ration token twice as the last quarter started

tess to the Ladies' Club this after- cach, used as change. Brown throw, and Berry came through been promoted from F 2c to stamps Y and Z in Book Three re- with two more baskets, and to top | MOMM 2 c. He is stationed in the Mrs. Irvin French entertained taining values printed on face, it off right McInnis added another just before the whistle emled the Wilfred Coolidge of Locke Mills game with Gould leading 29-23.

lk. Bennett Young FRYEBURG (23)

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Time 4 eights,

Mrs. Addie Saunders attended a French Sunday. luncheon and meeting of the Grand !-

Temple Club at the Columbia Hetel. Portland, recently, Sylvia Dyke was honor guest at For week of Mar. 5-11 (Same as a party at her home Friday afternoon in observance of her eightn birthday. Those present were. Henrietta Swain, Corice Wermenchuck, Phyllis Chadbourne, Marie Mills, Kathryn Wilson, Judy Free

man, Mary Ford and Alan Lyke. The Calendar Supper sponsored by the Junior Guild at the Congregational dining room last Thursday was a very delightful and successful occasion. Mrs. David Thompson very graciously substituted as hostess at the December! table for Mrs Robert Clunie who have munitions and materiel, more

MEN'S BROTHERHOOD The Men's Brotherhood met at the Methodist Church Tuesday evening. A bountiful supper was ROWE HILL erved by Ralph Berry, Harry Saw Mr and Mrs. Fred Cashey of in and Maurice Brooks. After Portland were guests of her pered the meeting to order and one Sunday, Feb. 20, nea member, Frank Swan, was Mrs. Elzabeth Badey movel

elected for March winch will be 20. Mrs. Ray Hanscom couldn't adies' might. Supper. Chesley move her goods because the roads Sanders, Fred Cark, Earl Daves, were not broken over the hill, Mrs Tem up, Ralph Berry. Harry Harcom moved her goods to her Sawan, Robert York Toket, Clay home here Saturday, Feb 26. ton Blake, Roger Foster; Enter- William Ring was price of all man at. Louis, Thomas, treaty randparents, Mr and Mrs. Colbr

Rev Frankin Keshwetter of Ernest Brooks entertained his Bryant Pond was introduced and negligibles at a party held Feb. 20. gave a very interesting address. There were to present The evening on "The Successful Unurch" Africas spont in playing games. Reter the speaker the Reds and freshments of pop corn balls and streens lined up for games of shaf- apples were served during the evthe board The Greens won the first | empty same but lite Reds same book win . Mr. Windred Hans on and Mrs. many the round game, with a hard Vera Cries were guests of Mrs. fought battle. The line up was a . Han com's parents, Me and Mrs. follows: Red Earl Davis, Perry Newton Bryant, over the week end Laplacia, Fred Clark, Roger For Juding to Greenwood Centre Sunday ter, Frank Swan, Ralph Berry, Co might Mrs Cross to Mrs. Lodor ed Person. Justy Private Rolling Colors and Mes. Hansons to Mes. Brenks there theolog Sounders there Martin's M A Gordon, Harry Sawan, Fred The rouls are very good here Placeds Iron French, Royal'st present The snew place were Heatston, Clayton Blake, Rea the main Tenesday nicht Two eyes

MISS A. M. ROBERTSON DIED YESTERDAY: 101

Miss Ann Maria Robertson, for many years Bethel's "grand old Mrs. Homer H. Hamlin of Gor- lady," passed away Wednesday ham, N. H. The wedding took after a long period of failing place on Feb. 16 in Portland, with health. Her death occurred at the the Rev. Cornelius Edwards Clark | home of Mrs. Olive Wood, where officiating, and Miss Phyllis Davis she has lived since last spring. Beof Boston as maid of honor, and fore then she had lived on Main Homer H. Hamlin of Gorham, N. Street, where for several years H., as best man. Other guests were Mrs, Cora Heath was her compan-

She was born in Bethel Feb. 19, Greenwood Mountain, Maine: Mrs. 1843, the daughter of Sylvester and brook, Maine, Ralph Bannister, cept for a number of winters spent Boston, Mass.; Miss Anne McMas- with her brother in Augusta, she has been a lifelong resident of this

She is survived by no near relaruld Academy in 1940, and later tives, but a host of friends and ded Westbrook Junior College relatives cherish memories of her and, Mr. Hamlin was wit and reminiscences, of earlier

and attended Bates | Funeral services will be held . He has been at the Greenleaf funeral home on



Mr. and Mrs Frank Hale have received word that their son Norman, who is somewhere in the Pacific, has been promoted to the rank of Corporal, also that Lester, who is with the U.S. Navy in North Africa, has received the rank of S 1c.

plan now in effect. Red stamps A8, and again assumed a lead of 23-21. completed his basic training in Pvt. Raymond Farr Jr., who has Mrs. Niles Kellogg has returned B8, and C8 in Plok Four, worth Midway of the final period how-North Carolina, is spending a fur-

South Parific.

has been promoted to a Third Class

Petty Officer. Pfe. Richard Brown of Hanover 2 left Sunday for Camp Pendleton, 12 Va., after spending a 10 day fur-11 lough at his home. He actually en-1 joyed the deep snows here as ther. n isn't much where he is stationed.

Pvt. Clayton Crockett from Bos-24 ton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crockett, Sunday on a 7 36 hour leave.

Ensign Maynard Austin is spend-Ofing a 10 day leave from Camp 7 Peary, Va., with his mother, Mes. B Ava Austin.

24 Mr. and Mrs. John Travers and daughters. Beverly and Donna, of Errol visited Mr. and Mrs. F. I.



A sprig of green on the Mediterrancan front; today it's camouflage for an American machine gun nest. To win quicker our soldiers must and more. To provide them all of us must buy more and more War U.S. Treasure Begarterent

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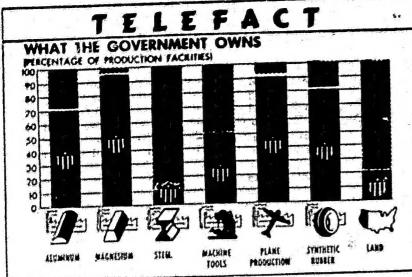
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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Allied Bombers Range Into Germany, Blasting Major Production Centers; Nazis Concentrate Armored Strength To Hammer at U. S. Beachhead Lines

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RECONVERSION:

First Steps

No sooner had Bernard Baruch submitted his report on postwar

planning that President Roosevelt acted on two of the seven suggestions. establishing offices for the disposal of surplus war materials and the training and employment of veterans.

However, one of the most important recommendations dealing with quick

settlement of canceled war contracts to give manufacturers, etc., working capital with which to switch back to civilian production, waited on congress, where Senators George (Gn.) and Murray (Mont.) introduced legislation on the matter.

Baruch

Although reaction to Baruch's report generally was favorable, congress hit the President's speedy acgoods and vets' readjustment in his own executive hands instead of agencies established by the house and

CONGRESS:

Tax Veto

Having labored for months on the new \$2,300,000,000 tax bill only to be spanked by President Roosevelt for their efforts because he claimed it failed to provide increased revenues in keeping with huge government war expenditures and offered certain industries unwarranted concessions, rongress angrily considered repossage of the measure over FDR's 1010

In declaring that the bill failed to raise sufficient money, the President said that many quarters considered his request for even 1014 billion dollars on too law. The President also objected to provisions of the measure favoring mineral producers, the lander industry, natural gas tipe lines and commercial air lines. strove for subordy on our moil would to extended The President also theself it a doubling of precent so.

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SECOND FRONT: Bombing Prelude

Seeking to reduce maximum German opposition to U. S. and British invasion armies which will swarm into Europe, the Allied air forces threw the full weight of their

growing strength at Axis industry. Ranging far into Germany, RAF heavies binsted historic Leipzig's single-engine fighter plane factories and Bernburg's twin-engine aircraft plants, while swarms of U. S. Fortresses and Liberators pounded air frame and Focke-Wulf paris factories at Brunswick and Posen.

Third Round

With two heavy armored enemy assaults on the Allies' Anzio beachhead besten off, U. S. and British troops girded themselves for a third amid showers of whining, exploding shells which pock-marked their 100square-mile holding.

To the southeast, bitter mountain to mountain fighting in the Cassino sector slowed, as both forces built up strength for resumption of the tions, declaring he sought to place bloodiest phase of the whole Italian authority on disposal of surplus war war, with Allied troops crawling forward over rugged terrain under heavy artillery barrage to root out atubborn enemy forces.

Back at the beachhead, the Germans concentrated armored strength for successive stabs into the Allies' lines, which gave way under the shock of the enemy's first charges, but recoiled in subsequent fleree counterattacks by U. S. and British tanks and infantry.

PACIFIC:

Tojo Sees Trouble

With Japan's outer ring of defenses crumbling and its own northern islands under bombs and shellare, beady-eyed, bespeciacled Premier Hideki Tojo took over the job of chief of stoff of the army and gave the position of navy chief to his cabinet member, Adm. Shigetoro Shimada

In explaining the n.ove. Tolo said: "At present, the empire is literally standing at the crossreads of a rise or fall. At this time the key to certain victory is to establish still claser relations between the high command and state affants."

Even as Tojo spoke, U S air, navol and graind torces were cleaning up Jap opposition in the far western Marchall islands, within casy bembing range of the great Jap sea bace of Truk, where Tokyo individual rates. The greater part admitted. Yorkee. Adm. Chester of the merease must of necessity. Nameta, fleet and air wing sank 18 ships and destroyed 123 aircraft in a sensational raid.

SPAIN:

In an effort to limit Gen. Francisco Franco's aid to Germany, the If B. ricking up

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its bon against expetts of oil to | Famous Pennsylvania Sun Oil man was called in for consultation, and to see the costs Morels and will alread I Edgar Pew said: " . . The cal in-Recorded to because empirate of distranships any American citizen dustry with an adequate and to to expected to spend about 500 mil. belonging to Protects Falangist price for its products, will be able to I an enfate this sear en , toppacks, butt, which is epuelled with order reducing retail prices for ment but a cuting restoration of the old bijanish from these courses of supply for E PRE TIER

HIGHLIGHTS . . . In the week's news

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RUSSIA:

Ease Threat

With the vanguard of Gen. Nikolai two flanks, the Russians sought to ease the threat to their own rear by whittling down the Nazis on the southern flank.

First major objective in the Reds' drive was the iron ore, copper and coal center of Krivoi Rog, meaning 'Curved Horn," which the Germans overran in August, 1941, and wrecked before surrendering it to the Russ.

With the German lines holding in northern Estonia, the Russ shifted the weight of their attacks farther to the south, driving for Pskov, from which railway lines radiate throughout the Baltic states, offering the Nazis important arteries for reinforcements and supplies.

LIVING COSTS:

Attack Estimates

Pressing its argument against wage stabilization limiting wages to a 15 per cent increase over January, 1941, AFL-CIO officials joined to declare that actual living costs have risen 43 per cent since then and not 24 per cent, as claimed by the government's bureau of labor statistics.

Members of a special presidential committee investigating methods for estimating living costs, the labor officials said the bureau's figures are not accurate because they do not include the prices of many foods in their averages, and ignore upgrading, deterioration and the elimination of low-cost goods,

Although declining to comment until receiving the committee's full report, the President revealed that previous impartial investigation showed that the bureau's figures were considered accurate for large cities, but falled to reflect varying costs in different parts of the coun-

Advise Plow's the Thing



To plow or not to plow? If that's the question, Iowa State college advises farmers to plow unill such a time as the problems of reduced yields and weed growth of sub-surface tillage can be solved.

farmers their advice after five years of their own intensive experimentation, during which they found:

1. Plowed seed-beds produce higher yields; 2. It is easier to plant and cultivate corn on plowed ground, al though machines have been manufactured which will operate through trash; weed control becomes difficult when crop residues are left on top and not plowed under.

Sub-lillage serves to conserve soil and water, the agronomists said, and offers possibilities for saving labor and costs.

OIL RESERVES:

Sufficient, Says Trade

Taking Issue with Interior Secretory Harold Iches' statement that America's proven oil reserves represented only n 14 years' supply. Business and Government the American Petroleum Institute production to meet 70 per cent of decrease of 1814 million barrels in total U. S reserves in 1913.

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BUTTER PRESERVER Successful experiments with a complex capable peld bave shown; that it will keep fatter, fard and

Washington Digest

'Vatutin's First Ukrainian army deep inside of prewar Poland and German troops strung out far along his DemobilizationCommittee Completes Initial Report

Congressional Group Provides for Action by Legislation Rather Than Executive. Decree; Small Business Gets Break.

> By BAUKHAGE News Analyst and Commentator.

> > that when converted war industries

resume their peacetime work, they

will not be thrust into competition

with prewar industries which can

The report of this committee rec-

ognizes this danger and also the

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pluses in such a manner that they

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The report of the committee visu-

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Briefly, a board is recommended.

The President would appoint the ad-

ministrator, subject to confirmation

by the senate. The administrator

would pick his own staff, not repre-

sentatives of any group but men of

special ability, fit to represent the

United States as a whole, men cho-

sen for their outstanding qualifica-

tions. This board would report to

congress, a congressional commit-

tee would keep its eye on the reports

and its members would sit in at

The board would not be an operat-

ing agency. It would be purely ad-

ministrative, making use of the ex-

far as the general public is con-

cerned, is this: It represents one of

the first steps of congress looking

toward taking back its policy-making

powers which, of necessity, have

been delegated to the administrative

branch and does so in a most vital

field of endeavor. It is pointed out

that these policy-making powers as

applied to conversion may affect the

economy of the nation for many

years to come. For instance, as

Russell put it in the interview-con-

gress doesn't want any one man, or

any one agency, to decide such vital

issues as to whether the govern-

ment remains in the rubber making

business, whether we shall have a

Important Points

economy adversely.

small business.

acquire them.

will be expensive.

sured.

large merchant marine or a small

Briefly here are some of the points

which the committee recommends:

1. That demobilization should be

so handled as to preserve free en-

2. That full employment be as-

3. That government-owned or con-

trolled plants be disposed of in a

way as not to affect the national

4. That disposal of government-

owned plants should be in line with

American foreign policy, with the

prevention of menopoly, with the en-

5. No plants or surpluses disposed

the government-to say nothing of

general economy-than could possi-

bly be saved through conventional

In other words, "the law's delay"

It will be interesting to see if the

lawmakers themselves cause unnec-

easity delay in this undertaking In-

telegent and uncertain tomaitration

and action is the keyword to a just

pre-pudit of contractors claims."

isting government agencies.

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meet an unnatural competition.

must be foreseen and met.

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At a recent White House press and radio conference, the President, in talking of certain measures he had recommended to benefit men and women leaving the armed service, explained that long before the demobilization of the fighting forces actually begins, many veterans are "demobilized" who, for military or other reasons, are returned to civil life. One million have already been discharged and the process continues, while others are being taken into the service.

To some degree this process is paralleled by other forms of demobilization and congress has realized that the machinery for reconverting the American economy to peacetime operation must be set up immediately. One group, a special committee on postwar economic policy and planning of which Senator George is the chairman, has finished its first report which deals with "cancellation of war contracts, disposition and sale of surplus property and industrial demobilization and

Quite aside from the content of the report, the document is important for three reasons:

First, it provides for action by legislation rather than by executive deeree, and envisions a board whose first responsibility is to congress rather than to the Chief Executive. (An important step in returning to the natural processes of democracy interrupted by the war.)

Second, it has been written with a realization that in the re-shuffing of industry, small business must get a break. It is quite probable that Senator Murray, who has taken the troubles of small business under his wings, will contribute considerably to the bill which will be introduced to implement the purpose of the report.

Non-Political Expert

Third, and very important, is the fact that the report was coordinated and probably largely written by a paid, non-political expert, hired out of the committee funds as its counsel. Similar assistance is always utilized by the tax committee where highly technical knowledge is essential, and it has long been the feeling of Senator George and others that one of the great weaknesses of congressional procedure is the lack of expert staff assistance for this type of work: the coordinating and correlating of the information brought out in the hearings and the contributions lows State agronomists offered of the various committees, and the facts and opinions resulting from the investigations and the special knowledge of the individual members.

As a small group of us newsmen and women sat in the committeeroom and questioned Scott Russell, the counsel, we were impressed with his grasp of the subject and the way he separated political opinion terprise. from the factual content and the interpretation of the various paragraphs as he read them over to us or we questioned him concerning them. Russell was a former district attorney in Georgia and he was also president of one of the largest businesses in the South, the Bibbs Manufacturing company. Gray-haired, but young looking, and vigorous with an easy common-sense approach, Russell gave you the feeling he knew what he was talking about.

But regardless of the merits of declared that even with wartime this particular case, it seems to me rather significant that the thinking the Allies' needs, there was only a leaders in congress, of whom there are always many, realize the importance of getting the use a some-As of December 31, 1943, U. S. what shopworn expression in its best reserves approximated 20 billion sense) "more business into governbarrels, the Institute said, including ment"-business in the sense of 1.404.700.000 barrels added during businesslike and efficient procedure, the year through new discoveries not the bias of any particular busi-

ing fields. Production in 1913 ag. I have gone into some detail in gregated 1,503 427,000 barrels, thus previous columns in regard to the leaving the deficiency of 10th million importance of small business in the undicubitedly a part of his legislative timbing will be incorporated into the bill which I imagine will be introduced before this is printed.

Already the grants are battling realization of this practical example Effects are being made by the big of planning.

Who's News This Week Delos Wheeler Lovelace

Consolidated Features. -WNU Release.

NEW YORK.—Little bespectacled Henry Pu-yi, puppet emperor of the Jap-bolstered realm of Manchukuo, passed his 38th birthday in what Ten Years Is for radio de-

Him a Phenomenal scribes as

Run as Emperor the "best of health," and It begins to look as if the historians. would credit him with at least a decade in office. He'll reach the 10th milepost early in March. His two previous tries were much briefer.

Son of Prince Chun Wang, younger brother of Kwang Sung. former Manchu emperor of the Chinese, Henry first found himself in the role of ruler when he was only four years old, The throne was that of all China that time. The Dowager Empress. Tzu Hsi was his backer then, and she smuggled the frail boy intothe palace and into office one dark night. Her coup held good: until China became a republic in 1912. Then Henry lost his job.. He regained it fleetingly in 1917,. but then the Chinese said "no" for keeps.

Things weren't too bad for him; though, even after that. He still had the palace to live in and a nice fat. income to live on. When Marshat Feng seized Peking, no v Peiping, alk contain and which makes them quite that ended. That was in 1924 and safe from the danger of perusal by Henry fled straight to the Japs.

Both Henry and his beautiful wife once learned to converse in English. If anyone has ever told him that the first 10 years are the hardest, he probably is skeptical today. Or maybe the Japs haven't let him know about what happened in the Marshalls.

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N THE last great war comforting statistics came alive among Americans newly arrived in France to do their share in the heavy fight-Survival Chances summer and Of Wounded Have autumn of Been Upped 4% 1918. No one bothered to trace their source, at least no one known in this corner. Everyone was glad to take them, as-was, because It would be called the Office of Demobilization. For the duration, of their reassuring conclusion that, it would be a subsidiary of the even though you were wounded, the WPB; afterward, it would be su- chances were 93 out of 100 that you would live to flash your wound stripe The importance of this action, as

back home. Now here is practically the same percentage on the official word of Maj. Gen. Norman T. Kirk, surgeon general of the army. He says that in the last war 7.4 per cent of our wounded dled. He mentions the figure to emphasize how much better off the wounded are in this war. Only 3 per cent die now.

The general has commanded the army's doctors since last June. Hereached that ultimate goal of all commissions in his corps after 30 years of service. Fifty-six now, born a Marylander, he was graduated from the State University of Maryland and made a first lieutenant in 1913. Like most good doctors he follows the advice he gives all patients and controls his weight.

His special field is surgery with a particular leaning toward orthopedies. And he should be a handy man to have around these times since many of the 97 who survive out of every hundred wounded will be greatly helped by operative reconstruction of hurt joints and bones and tendons.

THE Reds destroy Old Russia's myths, but a thousand years from now new ones will crop up, and one maybe will center upon the lively, hard-drinkcouragement of full competition and Already Peasants ing Marshal Vow That Budenny Semeon Mi-Is Supernatural challovich Budenny,

of where their existence is vital to the national economy or such dis- who certainly does not lessen his posal affects it adversely or under chance of immortality by presenting conditions which would make it im- to Stolingrad the historic sword sent possible for the small business to by Britain's King George. It seems to be a little more than human in And this word of wisdom is added: him to have risen from a cavalry "The shutting down of factories, | sergeant major under the czar, surviving all the purges of the revoluthe stoppages of work, and the untion to become one of the Soviet's employment of workers, through debest loved national heroes. lays in contract settlements, will cause far greater loss of revenue to

Budenny is 68 now, a stocky, black-eyed comrade whose stories are endless and whose enormous moustaches spread under his broad nose like wings. He is a Don Cossack and in the dawn of the revolution his war ery was, "Proletarians! To Horse!" Born a peasant he fought the Japa in his youth and had grown into an old professional soldier when the Bolshevisis came slong. He joined them.

Ilia wife also Joined them; but when she accidentally killed herself while cleaning a rifle, he swore that he never again would marry a soldier. So he took an actress for his second wife, but she is a helpmost. 190, and totored him through the Moscow Military neaderny from which he graduated with aonors 13 years age.

Besides the people's approval he has efficial honors galore, among them the tirder of Lenin, the Order

BRIEFS . . . by Baukhage

"Dress fashions for girls=Jora-

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liberately. He wanted Clay and

Splann and Steve in separate

He made a cigarette in brown

corn shuck paper and stooped for a

burning stick end. With the light up

close he looked across at lank Joe

Wheat, "Joe," he said, "I'm picking

All of the faces ringed around the

fire lifted toward him. There was

a tight silence. Then Ed Splann, his

huge shape sprawled off, half hid-

den, growled out, "How about let-

tin' us cut cards for turns, Mister

Boss? Ain't that the usual caper?

Cut for choice and choose our own

Then Lew said, "Well, Clay, we

might as well understand something

at the start. You've been a fore-

man long enough to know what the

along when you don't stop to explain

your orders. I don't intend to. Like

the way I'm setting this guard." He

brought his eyes around the ring of

faces and stopped on Splann's surly

stare. "If anyone here can't take

my say-so he'd better quit right

He held that stare for a moment,

saw its cold, hard steeliness and un-

derstood what he saw, "All right,"

Clay and Neal Good. I'll take sec-

Ash Brownstone, Quarternight and

crew, all of them dependable. Thus

Storms and Ed Splann."

you to lead the first watch."

watchmates, that's what."

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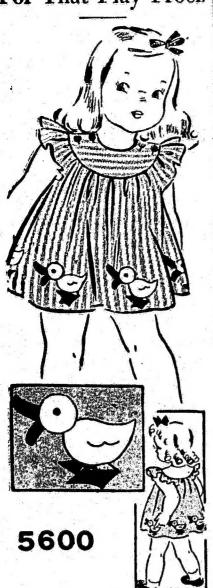
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aware of some undercurrent of treach-

ery, possibly involving Steve Arnold, Clay Manning, a new hand, ED

SPLANN, and four men whom Lew met

CHAPTER V

Clay Manning and Ed Splann

followed the galloping animal in to

the nearest fire, where Splann

caught his forelegs in a loop and

threw him expertly. This huge

bearded fellow was a cow hand all

right, Lew admitted. But there was

something else. Watching, while the

hot Cross T iron was run on the

steer's shoulder, he felt again the

strain of Clay Manning's unnatural

He turned his gaze up the valley

and saw Tom Arnold coming from

the creek-bottom trees and paused

then with his eyes fixed upon the

pole fences of the dipping chute,

like two wide-open arms reaching

Then Clay Manning said idly,

What took you to the rims this

"The view," he said, his eyes still

speculating on the dipping chutes.,

'Always did like it from up there."

roughly edged. "I'd like to know."

"That all?" Clay's voice was

out for an eighth of a mile.

saying nothing.

morning?"

fact."

that.

say worked lust year."

can't you use a rope?"

the crew.

Come on, Clay."

well come now as later.

bunch through by dark tonight."

ing nothing. Somehow in this man

him, more than the arrogance of

Then, as if made more bold and

ealm decision to keep things run-

"Now you," he began, but Clay's

"Careful, Ed! Somebody's com-

It was Tom Arnold pounding to-

ward them, his horse flung forward

In a rush that swept along a dust

cloud when he stopped. "What the bell's going on here?" He glared at

Splann's drawn gun With a hol

violence unlike him in a crisis he

blazed, "Clay, is this all you've got

to do?" He swung his angry stare.

"Little argument, Tom. Nothing

"Difference of opinion mostly.

Had an idea we could hurry up this

branding by using your dipping

cliute. You build your fires along-

side, push the animals through and

run the iron on them as they pass.

"Not my method, that's all."

Lew, what's wrong?"

"Well! What about?"

I've seen it work."

to make up time "

much.'

quick warning cut him off.

"How's that?"

idian BEE BY HAROLD CHANNING WIRE

LEW BURNET has returned from | now instead of on the trail that suits | pen. If that comes to me before

Wyoming to southern Texas in 1875, to take a job as trail boss for TOM AR-Tom Arnold spoke quietly. NOLD, owner of the Cross T. Tom tells "There's no call for cussedness, Lew that he is moving his herd to Wyo-Clay, that I can see. But it's your ming, and that he wants to stock Lew's choice. Lew, take the job." He ranch there. He offers Lew a share in swung his back to them and rode partnership with STEVE and JOY AR-NOLD, his son and daughter. Lew refuses, because he does not wish to be Clay Manning turned in his sadassociated with CLAY MANNING, Joy's dle. Something had happened to down. fiance. Lew agrees to take Tom's herd him in that moment of giving up his to the Indian agent at Ogallala, Lew is

> was a grimness added to him that had not been there before, Without temper he said, "Lew, I'm going north with this herd for a reason that you understand. But not as your segundo. Either you or

leadership of the Cross T. There

I'll end up in full charge." Beside him, suddenly, Splann kicked their two horses forward. 'Come on, Clay, come on!"

Like any captain leading an army troop, a trail boss needed a lieutenant, his segundo. And since Clay had refused Lew hunted up one man in the Cross T that he could count on absolutely,

When Rebel John Quarternight's white head appeared among those silence, sitting his horse there close riders darting in and out of the dust cloud he rode over and waved him

"John," he said, "I've taken over the herd. We're going to push this branding along.'

He explained his way and added, grinning with the strong affection that he had for this man, "No argument now. I've heard it. I'll take no talk from a pullet like you!"

It was John Quarternight who had taught him all he knew about cattle, most of what he knew about mena straight-backed, sturdy old warrior, close to seventy now, with de-



A quietness came over him and he saw a trouble center on the Cross there was nothing that Lew wanted T. There was a surly sureness about

celvingly mild blue eyes and a brute strength. He wondered again drooping mustache turned yellow by why Clay would tolerate his sort in the sun. His full life went into the! past as far as the war for Texas independence, up through the Resure by that silence, Splann goaded, bellion and after that the Apache "Leave him try his schoolboy trick!

days. He chuckled, "No, got no argu-Suddenly this early morning's ment. I'm beginnin' to think maybe we'd see Ogallala next Christmas! ning without trouble was gone. He It's plain disgraceful pokin' frons at understood that he was being ribbed cows through a fence. But we'll into a fight. It was what Splann wanted, a showdown. It might as give her a try." He swung his horse, "Bulld your fires, son. I'll tell the

He swung his horse to get Clay from between them. But in that Lew's wave brought Quarternight same Instant, incredibly fast, a gun around to him. He yelled above the was in the man's right fist. There rattle of horns slashing at the fence was no smokiness in his eyes now. logs and the bellowing din: "Takes They were only a cold, hard gray, two hands for this, John!"

The old man stepped down beside him and grabbed a hot iron, shaped like a cross, with another bar on top to make the T. They worked from opposite ends of the penned steers, meeting in the middle. It was a choking job. Cottonwood made clouds of snuke. The rancid odor of singed hide filled the air. Over them a midday sun poured down a breathless heat.

But the longhorns were moving. ten by ten in endless parade. In half an hour's time Lew waved Joe Wheat and Ash Brownstone down to relieve himself and Quarternight. Arnold Jerked a nud at the work,

He looked as if a heavy weight had been lifted from him. there was humor in him again. "Man's never too old," he said, "to learn a new wrinklel You'll have this job done by dark."

A quiciness came over him and i in his saddie. Arnold considered it, the anger gothere was nothing that Lew wanted ing out of him. "Well, Clay," he to say. Then Arnold said strongly, asked, "what's the objection?" "Well, no complaint! A man loves a woman, raises a family and builds "Maybe not But if Lew's seen it a ranch-that about completes the grazed forward, leaving a mile-wide work let's give it a try. Anything account, I guess?" He turned back swath of barren, dusty earth where and laid the book on top of others at had passed. With the disputes for Clay healtated. Beside him, Splann in a wooden box. "Only one more moved his horse closer. There was thing I'd like to see. There's a paa little silence. Then Clay shook | per in this, signed and legal. I'm his head "Tom, I'll tell you. If storing the box in Joy's waten Not to ride and talk. you want to switch foreman right; crowding fate any, but things hap-

STAGE SCREEN RADIO we reach Ogallala vou look in this

By VIRGINIA VALE Released by Western Newspaper Union

Time had come to set the guard, BEING a chaperon on "Blind Date," the Blue Night shadows had slid like a blanket off the high rimrock. Out benetwork show, has its hazyond the firelight four thousand longards. Veronica Lake's parhorns made a black pool, watered ents were chaperons for an and contented now, ready to bed evening, and, to add an extra Lew dropped his tin plate and cup fillip, the program's sponsor into Owl-Head's 1 eck pan. He unhad arranged for hansom derstood well enough that trail cuscabs to take the servicemen tom allowed a crew to draw for and their girls from the radio studio their turns at night riding. First to the Stork Club. A crowd of fans watch from eight until eleven was were milling around, walting for analways the best choice. No man other glimpse of the "Blind Dates." wanted to break his sleep in the One of the horses bolted, tossing the middle and so hated the second cabble off and leaving Mrs. Kean-, guard from eleven until two. From who is as tiny as her famous daughtwo until dawn was only a little ter, helpless inside. Everyone ran, better, the whole day being ahead screaming "Runaway!" but a coolthen with these early-morning hours headed Anzac soldier, used to emergencies, stopped the horse before But for his own reason this trip he damage was done. had decided to set the watch de-

Andrew Stone, producer-director of 'Sensations of 1944," thinks so well of his idea that he plans to produce



ELEANOR POWELL

one "Sensations" each year for the next three years; Eleanor Powell of this year's edition will be the central figure of each one.

The desire to remake "A Farewell to Arms," that touching love story he said and turned again to Wheat. of World War I, struck both War-'Joe, you'll take first guard with ner Bros. and Paramount. Warners wanted it for Ingrid Bergman and ond; Steve, I want you to ride with Humphrey Bogart, which would me, you and John. That leaves the have been better than the combinatag end for you, Ash, with Charley | tion Paramount set up-Ingrid Bergman and Ray Milland, Parar owns the story; therefore it will be Joe Wheat were the old men of this their picture.

wood actor to don a uniform in

World War II when he enlisted in the

marine corps in September, 1940, will

return to the screen as a result of a

contract signed with RKO. After

serving in more than 50 engagements

in the European and South Pacific

theaters of war, he was awarded the

Purple Heart and two presidential

citations. Retired with honor as a

first lieutenant after being badly

wounded, he can now walk with the

aid of a brace and with scarcely a

RKO is building up a good, sub-

stantial stock company, to have plen-

ty of talent ready for its enlarged

production schedule. Recent addi-

tions to the list of male players-

my Blum, Frank Mayo, Larry

Wheat, Jason Robards, Chester Cir-

Ward. Looks as if the shortage of

Warner Bros. have lifted suspen-

sion of their contract with Dennis

Morgan, and booked him to play op-

posite Ida Lupino in a romantic com-

edy, "The Very Thought of You."

And he and Irene Manning, the ro-

mantic singing team who costarred in "The Desert Song," will do an-

They'll be reunited in "Henrietta the

There's a new reason for the spir-

ited merching of American sallors

these days. The boys are "hupping"

lt to the rhythm of Alec Templeton's

band compositions. The star of the

CBS "Carnival" received a re-

quest from the navy department for

a group of his martial selections,

and they have been photostated for

Not for nothing have Warner

Bros. made all those biographical

films. They've learned that pictures

of that class have brought in the

largest amounts of mail in the past,

so a special bureau has been set up

in the fan mail department before

"The Adventures of Mark Twain" i

released. They figure that Twam's

supulately will took in a vesit side

ODDS AND ENDS Dickle Monre,

child star of yesterday who is now like

received his dealt call while at work of

RKO on "Are These Our Children?"
... "Heavenly Days," starting Fibber

budly secouled letters that come to the

Believe It or Not expert . . . Fack month

Tom Convey gets about 100 requests

from people, asking him to find missing

friends, relatives or articles. He's the

detection in the "Folcon" series.

landshide of letters.

distribution here and overseas.

trace of a limp.

he had one trusted hand in each of the three guards. "I'm going in to the house, Lew," Steve said, and looked off somewhere before he asked, "You riding in?"

Lew shook his head idly. "No, guess not." Yet he watched the quick turn of Steve's shoulders with a frowning interest. And afterward, when he heard his hores race off toward the creek words, he said quietly to John Quarternight, "Wouldn't hurt to stand double guard for a little while. Let's ride."

Mounted, he held to the darkness, keeping clear of the longhorns, and then drew to a halt off on the barren, empty plain. He saw old Rebel John sitting up high in his saddle, smelling the wind for trouble, and sald, "Wait"

It wasn't long. Moving slowly, a horse circled out from the creek growth, shielded by the dark. Lat- lisle, Wheaton Chambers and Alan er its hoofbrats struck up a faster pace, aiming for the short row of actors won't worry that studio any. lights that was Ox Bow town, five miles away.

Angry and bitter with this knowledge that Steve was making a sneak, Lew sat rigid, listening, until Quarternight said, 'That boy never could cover his tracks!"

"He's got no good business in town, John-not now "

Off in the east the first lonely gray other screen musical together. of dawn was spreading upward from the plains The black and of four Eighth," a musical comedy. thousand longhorns had risen, held by the last guard of the night. As casually as that, as if this

might be only a half day's drive to the railroad, the Cross T moved into its march of twelve hundred miles. It was the usual start, no better

nor worse than he had expected. He watched backward over the repeated melees, yet took no hand Both men and beasts needed to get the fight out of their systems

After the noon meal Lew told Owl Head, "Keep on due north and you'll find a tank for your night camp. Raise a snuke to lead us in."

He rode over to Joy's wagon seat. She had on a white muslin dress and one of Steve's broad-brimmed hals. But the sun had burned her, ged of a budged tired and hot.

She smiled up at him and yet she couldn't hide what he knew. The wagon had no springs Jolting along this rough ground, she was taking even more punishment than a man

"All right" he asked.

"I'll get used to it," the said. Hour by hour through a breathless afternoon the blust arrowhead places settled the animals moved quietly now, and on either side the awing men closed up in little groups

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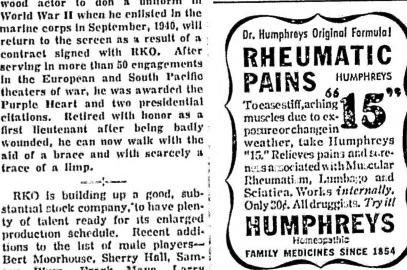
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Carl L. Brown, Publisher

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1944 ***

BRYANT POND

Mrs. Incs Whitman, Correspondent Miss Gertrude Farnum of South Portland spent her vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. Carrie Da-

Mr. and Mrs. Frank LaChance of Portland spent the week and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Swan and son Guy Jr. of Bethel were Sunday callers at the home of his brother, Porter Swan, and family.

Miss Ramona Farnum spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. Lewis Tirrell, and family at Locke

Fred Cole is sick. Mrs. Homer Farnum and children have been

Judith Grover Tent, No. 17, D of U. V., met at the home of Mrs. Inex Whitman Tuesday evening, Feb. 22, with 13 members present. A Lincoln and Washington proday. He'd See It Through, Miss sented for allowance by Elizabeth Clera Whitman: Washington's Birthday, Misr Edith Whitman, A fish pond was enjoyed.

Raymond Dunham has received his medical discharge from the hospital at El Paso, Tex., and the honorable discharge from the Army and is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunham, where he will remain until his braith is better.

Gardner Cole, a student at Boston University, recently spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cole.

Mrs. Herbert Meserve is gaining slowly from two surgical operations at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs. Mildred (Noyes) York is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Clinton Fields at Oxford.

A surprise stork shower was givon Mrs. Frank Jordan Thursday evening, Feb. 24, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Henry Morgan. Those present were Elizabeth Silver, Mirlam Morgan, Rena Howe, Evelyn Bean, Katherine Cox, Marion Mason, Annie Morgan, Beatrice Farnum, Helen Ring, Lora Noyes, Muriel Scott, Clara Whitman, Lois Davis, Lucy Rowe, Iva Farrar, Anne Jordan and the guest of honor, Mrs. Frank Jordan, Those not present but sending gifts were Pearl Cole, Addelynn Mann, Marguerite Chase, Agnes Coffin and Edith Whitman. After the gifts, SOUTH BETHEL which were placed in a miniature cradle, were opened, a social evening of various card games was cy and niece, Helen Bumps, were enjoyed Refreshments of Ice in Lewiston last Saturday with cream, crax and cookles were serv. friends shopping. ed by Marlon Mason, assisted by Virginia and Debra Morgan.

WEST GREENWOOD

family of Weterford were guests spent a day or two recently with of her father, Mr. Burgess, Bun. her mother, Mrs. Brooks,

II L. Harrington hurt bis hand inst week.

Col Charles Lowe called on Paul Croteau last week.

Charlle Raimey was in town a few days the first of this week. Allster Lowe shod a horse for in Norway Wednesday.

Paul Croteau Baturday. Mrs. II is Harrington was ill friends. with the grippe the last few days.

SONGO POND

Mrs Leon Millett has been ill with the this last week.

Mrs Mand tirindle and daughfer Evelyn came home Sunday having spent three weeks at Irving threen's at North Waterford They were answed in by the storms.

Fred Murchy has finished work at Locke Mills He is ill and staying at tion Childs.

Mr and Mrs Holla thrindle and times were at Liner mandaces Sunday afternoon

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PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately:-

William Adams, late of Albany, deceased; Ernest F. Bisbee of Administrator without Bethel, bond. Feb. 15, 1944.

Ethel R. Hastings, late of Bethel, deceased; Henry H. Hastings of Bethel, Administrator without bond, Feb. 15, 1944.

Chester Wheeler, late of Bethel deceased; Roger W. Wheeler of Bethel, Administrator with bond Feb, 15, 1944.

STATE OF MAINE To all persons interested in either

of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris in and for said County, on the third Tuesday of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-four, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said February. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter Indicated, it is hereby Or-

That notice thereof he given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Parls, on the third Tuesday of Murch, A. D. 1944, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause. Ernest P. Haskell of Norway, adult ward: Sixth annual account pre-

William S. Hastings, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Ruth C. Hastings. as administratrix of the estate of said deceased, without bond, presented by Ruth C. Hastings, widow of the deceased.

Albion W. Herrick, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Clausle M. Herrick as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Clausie M. Herrick. the executrix therein named.

Francis J. Lord, late of Bethel, deceased: Petition for the appoint ment of Lawrence A. Lord as administrator of the estate of sald ceased, without bond, presented by Lawrence A. Lord, son and heirat-law.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-four. 11 EARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register.

Lesie Kimball was in Bethel

on business Tuesday. Leon Millett is cutting ice for himself and having a hard time on account of the water coming up. Albert Skillings is still very busy shoeing horses for miles around

Horace Tibbelis, Florence How-

Miss Pearl Daye of Bethel spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wetherington. gone to Francis Brooks has

Frank Brooks' to board. Mr. and Mrs. George Tibbetts and Blanche Mason and children

Perry Raimey visited at Frank Brooks' recently. Robert Kirk of the U. S. Army

visited his mother, Mrs. Kirk, over the week end. Mrs. James Spinney, with her sister, Mrs. Judkins of Bethel, was

Florence Hewey spens one day last week at Locke Mills visiting

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WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING

To Carl L. Brown, a Citizen of the Town of Bethel in the County of Oxford.

GREETINGS-In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Bethel, qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, to assemble at Odeon Hall, in said Town of Bethel, on Monday, the sixth day of March, A. D. 1944, at eight o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles, to wit:

The Polls will open for balloting on elective officers. upon order of the Moderator and will be closed at 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Art, 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meet-

Art. 2. To choose by hallots the following Yown officers for the ensuing year, to wit: Town Clerk, Three Selectmen, three Assessors, Three Overseers of the Poor, Treasurer, one member of the School Committee for three years, Tax Collector, and Road Commissioner.

Art. 3. To hear and act on reports of the several town officers, for the year ending December 31, 1943.

Art. 4. To establish the price the Selectmen, the Assessors, the Overseers of the Poor, shall receive for their serv-

Art. 5. To establish the price the Road Commissioner shall receive for his services. Art. 6. To establish the price the Treasurer shall receive for his services.

Art. 7. To establish the price to be paid for collecting taxes, for the ensuing year. Art. S. To choose all other necessary Town Officers.

Art. 9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for support of Common Schools, for the year 1944.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and apropriate for Secondary Schools for the year Art. 11. To see what sum of money the Town will vote

to raise and appropriate for Textbooks for the year 1944. Art. 12. To see what sum of money the Town will vote te raise and appropriate for School Supplies for the year

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairs on school houses for the year 1941.

Art. 14. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for insurance on schoolhouses, for the year 1944.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for services of a School Physician, for the year 1944.

Art. 16. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for salry of Schoool Superintendent, for the year 1944.

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the Northwest Bethel School. Art. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for School Lunches for the year

Art. 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$100,00 for public health nursing in Bethel, Said sum to be expended by the State Bureau of Health, for

Art. 20. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for repair of Roads and Bridges,

for the year 1944. Art. 21. To see what sum of money the Town will vote o raise and appropriate for the Winter Maintenance of Roads, for the year 1944.

Art. 22. To see what sum of money the Town will vote " raise and appropriate for Bituminous Surfacing of Roads and Streets, for the year 1944.

Art. 23. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for State Aid road construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways, and bridges) under the provision of Secprovisions of Section 3, Chapter 229, Public Laws of 1937.

Art. 24. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the joint expense for mainten tion 19, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or under the ande on State and State Aid Highways as provided by Chapter 28, Section 9, and Section 18 of the Revised Statutes of

1930, as amended by Chapter 149 P. L. 1935. Art. 25. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Maintenance of the Third Class Roads for the year 1944 as required by law in Sections 44 and 46, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes 1930 as amend-

rd by Section 4 and 5 of Chapter 229 Public Laws 1937. Art. 26. To see if the Town will vote to accept the street as laid out by the Selectmen, leading from the easterly end

of Tyler Street to Vernon Street. Art. 27. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay land damage, incurred under

Article 26. Art. 28. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to build the street accepted under

Article 26. Art. 29. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintenance of sewers for the

year 1944. Art. 30. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for support of poor, for the year

Art. 31. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Town Officers' bills, for the

Art. 32. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to take care of abatements as made

Art. 33. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day observance.

Art. 31. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to be expended to assist in the maintenance of the Bethel Band.

Art. 35. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for advertising our natural resources, advantages and attractions, under the provision of t hanter 5, Section 82 of the Revised Statutes of 1930, said sum to be expended by the Bethel Chamber of Commerce.

Art 36. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay for Treasurer's Bond. Art 37. To see what sum of money the Town will vote

to raise and appropriate to pay for Collector's Bond. Art 18. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for expense of fire pumper and fires for 1911.

Art. 39. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to be expended for care of old

ermeteries during the year 1944. Art. 40. To see what sum of money the Town will vote

to raise and appropriate for miscellaneous expenses. Art. 41. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to procure from the Bethel Library Assoication the free use of books during the coming year for all inhabitants of the Town, under such restrictions and: regulations as shall insure the safety and good use of the:

Art. 42. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to care for the interest on notes and temporary loans for 1944.

Art. 43. To see if the Town will vote to purchase Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance on any or all of the motor driven vehicles owned by the Town of Bethel and raise money for same.

Art. 44. To see if the Town of Bethel will vote to accept as a gift in trust, and serve as trustee for the following

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MARY E. WILEY Third: I give and bequeath unto the town of Bethel the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) in trust, the incomeof which is to be used for the perpetual care and repair of the Dr. R. C. Wiley lot in the cemetery on Grover Hill near the Skillings steam mill, subject, however to the following condition, viz: should said cemetery ever be incorporated, the said town of Bethel, through its Municipal Officers, shall turn over to the cemetery association thus incorporated said sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00), provided said association will accept the same subject to the trust hereby

created. Art. 45. To see if the Town will vote to change the time of Balloting for the Elective Officers and the transaction of Business at the Annual Town Meetings and define those

Art. 46. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to obtain money by loan to pay the debts of the Town and to take up outstanding notes against the Town or to renew the same with new notes, and to execute and deliver the notes of the Town therefor signed by its Treasurer and countersigned by the municipal officers of the Town.

Art. 47. To see if the Town, for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to, and for the use of the Town of Bothel to pay indebtedness of said Town due and to become due during the present municipal year, the same to be paid out of money raised by taxation during the present municipal year, will authorize and direct its Treasurer to borrow from time to time a sum of money, or sums of money, not aveodeing \$50,000, and to execute and deliver the note or notes of the Town therefor signed by its Treasurer and counresigned by the municipal officers of the Town.

Art. 48. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to sell and convey real estate owned by the Town under Tax deeds or under tax liens to such persons for such prices and upon such terms as said Selectmen and Treasurer in their judgment and discretion may determine for the best interest of the Town and to execute in behalf of the inhabitants of said Town such deeds or etter instruments of conveyance as may be required to complete such sales and conveyances.

Art. 49. To see if the Town will authorize the Modertor to appoint a committee of 12 to be known as the Budget-Committee. To transact any other business that may legally come

lefore said meeting. The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in, session in the Selectmen's Office on Monday, March 6th, 1944 for the purpose of correcting the list of voters from 9 o'clock

in the forenoon until time for the polls to close. Hereof fail not and have you there this warrant with our doings thereon.

Given under our hands this 16th day of February, A. ERNEST F. BISBEE

CARROLL E. ABBOTT Selectmen of Bethel

A true copy, Attest:

Carl L. Brown, a Citizen of the Town of Bethel.

GREENWOOD CENTER

D. 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Everett Howe and children of Bryant Pond and and family of Norway were recent Claremont, N. H., called recently callers at D. R. Cole's. at Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Martin's. Gerald Benson is hauling out wood for his brother, Maurice Ben-

Mrs. Vera Cross of Locke Mills visited her siser ,Mrs. Lester Cole. recently.

Mrs. Ray Hanscom, Rowe Hill, visited Mrs. Beryl Martin recently. Mr. and Mrs. Colby Ring, Rowe Hill, called on their daughter, Mrs Glenn Martin, recently.

Master Kent Martin visited Blaine Mills at Locke Mills re-Mrs. Gladys Balley was home

from South Paris over the week

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Robinson

the flu the past few days.

Leroy Martin has been ill with

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Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Correspondent The proceeds of the town meeting dinner this year will go to the day meeting at the Legion hall evening. Red Cross. So everyone come and plan to stay for dinner. If you served to 11 members and four little daughter Joyce of South have husband, son, brother or visitors. friend in the service, remember him and give generously to the livered the sermon at the Locke Red Cross.

- Martin Colby of Rumford Point was in town recently, looking after

Jim Barnett and E.S. Lane were

week end.

Mrs. Hans Autor and friend from Speculator, N. Y., were in town one day last week to get some of Mrs. Autor's furniture.

John Angevine sold a calf last

week to Roy Bennett of Newry and a cow to Martin Colby of Rumford

last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings of Bethel were at their camp on the shore of Lake Umbagog Sunday.

Mike Midiloski, working for the Brown Company at Thurston's camp, had his leg broken just above the ankle, while loading horses on a truck Monday forenoon this week. He was taken to the hospital at Berlin, N. H., after receiving first aid from Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hinkley at their

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LOCKE MILLS

Wednesday, Feb. 23. Dinner was Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Abbott and

Mills Union Church Sunday after- SOUTH ALBANY noon at 3 o'clock.

Donald Tebbets.

in Lewiston on business one day Blaine were at Albany Saturday in Bethel Saturday night. and visited his parents, Mr. and John Spinney is yarding out Miss Carrie Angevine was home Mrs. Zenas Mills. They also called pulpwood for Preston Flint. from Gould Academy over the at the home of Fred Mundt, Gro- Hugh Stearns is yarding pulpver Hill.

Mrs. Edith Abbott of Bryant well. Pond visited her daughter, Mrs. Donald Bennett, recently. Mrs. Janice Cross and little son evening.

Stuart of Bethel visited at the Joseph Pechnik spent the week week end.

tle daughter Nancy "sited Mrs. urday evening. Kenneth Hinkley was in Berlin Shirley Washburn at Bryant Pond

were at Lewiston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford attended the fiftieth wedding anni--Mrs. Mary Mills, Correspondent versary of Mr. and Mrs. Corry

Paris were calling on friends and Rev. M. A. Gordon of Bethel de- relatives in town recently.

has been visiting her sister, Mrs. in South Paris and Norway Friday, Feb. 22. on business.

wood for Roy and Arthur Ward-Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell were in East Stoneham Friday

home of A. G. Coolidge over the end at his home in South Paris. Hugh Stearns and family at-Mrs. Kenneth Saunders and lit- tended the pictures at Bethel Sat-

Mrs. Grace Stone is quite ill at this writing,

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Baker | Edith Stearns called at Roy Wardwell's Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Correspondent

Mrs. Sarah Andrews and chilson Kenneth called on Mrs. Fred Hersey at North Waterford Saturday afternoon.

Rev. George Duke conducted the Church service Sunday afternoon with an attendance of nine,

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hall and

end at Fred Littlefield's. Carroll Buck and Carroll Fitzerald visited Edwin Bumpus Saturday afternoon.

NEWRY CORNER

The Farm Bureau held an afternoon meeting Feb. 23 at the home of Mrs. Bertha Davis in charge of Mrs. Julia Fleet, foods leader. Subject of meeting was "Feeding Yourself from the Cellar Shelves," one of a series of two meetings. The next one will be Mar. 14 at Mrs. Daisy Morton's with Mrs.Freidell in charge.

Miss Erma Richardson, a patient in the Community Hospital for several weeks, returned home Satur-

Anne Martin of Rumford Point and Jennie Belle Richardson of Hanover visited Barbara Hulbert

on Saturday. Word was received Friday morning of the death of John Warren of East Rumford, cldest brother of Edward Warren of this town. Funeral services were held from his late home Sunday at 2 p. m. with Rev. Penner of Rumford Center officiating, Entombment was at East Rumford.

Mr and Mrs. Ernest Brinck of Lisbon Falls were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Chapman. Mrs. Ethel MacArthur of Rowley, Mass., and Mrs. Mabel Thurs-The Farm Bureau held an all Bonney at West Sumner Saturday ton of Topsfield, Mass., came to attend the funeral of John Warren Sunday, also Mr. and Mrs. Living-

stone of Berlin. Walter Vail and Leon Enman are transporting the mail from Upton to Bethel and return.

Mrs. Julia Fleet attended a Foods Miss Mildred Churchill of Minot Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell were Leader training class at Andover

Friends of Roger Hanscom of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mills and son Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kimball were this town are sorry to hear of his

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ALBANY TOWN HOUSE - GROVER HILL

dren and Mrs. Annie Bumpus and is having a week's vacation at on lower Main Street, Bethel. home.

family, who have been ill with the prevailing epidemic, are making man, Monday.

Sunday guests at C. L. Whit- Mrs. Herman Skillings has had Rogers of South Waterford, arm,

Mrs. Clarence Meserve of Mechanic Falls spent Friday with Mr. Miss Marion Waterhouse, cadet and Mrs. E. C. Barnard and Mrs. nurse at the C. M. G. Hospital, Marion Tyler at their apartment

Several members of the Mundt from an army camp, in Arkansas

family of Freeport spent the week man's were Mr. and Mrs. Sidney the cast removed from her broken

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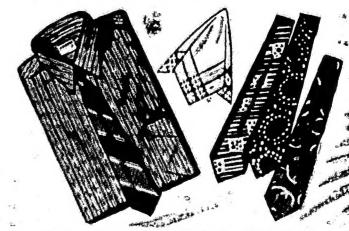
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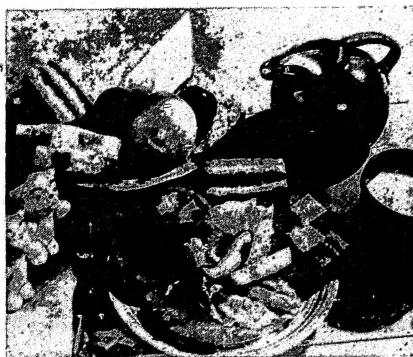
A recent survey, which shows the long-range trend of electric rates in general, gives these striking examples of the present purchasing power of the dollar: compared with 1913, the 1943 dollar bought 43' less food, 45' less clothing, 52% less furniture—and 70% MORE electricity.

Consider

of having a checking account.

THE





Keep to Low Point Foods on Lunches See Recipes Below.)

Luncheon Suggestion

*Cream of Corn Soup

Cream Cheese and Peanut Sand-

wiches on Boston Brown Bread

*Cream Cheese and Peanut

Sandwiches.

(Makes three)

4 six-ounce wedge cut of cream

allees white or whole wheat bread

Cream the cheese until soft. Add

outs, lemon juice and salt. Spread

The other half of the wedge can be

mixed with 2 tablespoons of lemon

Juice and pulp and 2 tablespoons of

finely chopped nutmeats. This will

Devilled Cheece Sandwich Spread.

14 pound mild cream cheese

3 hard-cooked eggs, chopped

4 tablespoons mayonnaise

Grind the cleese, onion and pl-

miento. Add chopped eggs, season-

ings and mayonnaise and mix well.

Liver Sandwich Spread.

2 hard-cooked eggs, minced

Brown onion in melted butter. Mix

well with lives, blend in cream and

seasoning and mix well. Keep

spread in cool place until ready to

Collage Cheese Spread.

I cup finely chopped peanuts

t tablespoon mayonnaise

14 teaspoon sait

bread

cup well-seasoned coltage cheese

Combine all Ingredients. Use el-

ther white bread or Boston brown

Cheese and Orled Beef Spread.

14 cup drained canned tomatoes

Melt cheese in top of double boil-

er. Add tomatoes gradually, stir-

ring occasionally. Add butter and

blend thoroughly. Add dried beef

and mix well. Store in refrigerator.

Chopped Meat Spread.

I finely chopped hard-cooked eres

I cup leftover meat, chopped

Chopped pickle or vinegar

Mayonnaise to melsica

I teaspeen mustard

Mix all logeth-

er. Spread gener-

custy on buttered

A fruit salad all

quivery and de-

lectable with fruit

makes a perfect

fell for a sand-

wich luncheon

and gives your

menu plenty of variety:

I cup beiling water

E stanges, sectioned

Ralad dressing

Lettuce

I lablespeen lemen Juice

12 pilled dates, quartered

trains or cronge lure, or both

Heissand by Western Memoratore Crisis.

to rup rold mater

*Date and Orange Salad.

(Serves 4)

l parkage trange flavored gelatin

bread

14 pound American cheese

li cup butter or substitute

14 pound dried beef, chapped

give 4 cup of sandwich spread.

s cup chopped salled peanuls

14 teaspoon lemon Julce

between slices of bread.

I small onlon

1/4 feaspoon salt

1 chopped onlon

14 pound liver

Salt and pepper

14 cup cream

I lablespoon bulger

3 canned pimientoes

ly teaspoon paprika

*Recipes Given

cheese

ik icaspoon salt

*Date and Orange Salad

Luncheon Aids

If you don't have the points for traditional staples to make up the



children's midday lunches, then glance over the suggestions I'm giving you today. They're low on points, good on nourishment and high in health-

giving vitamins and minerals.

Homemakers with growing chiliren who must feed them at home during lunch, and then feed a very sungry busband at dinner, frequently and themselves low on points for these two important meals. They must be well balanced and satisfying or the family will suffer in days toot at achool or at work and that's sabetone on the home front.

Sandwiches are an old stand by and children look forward to them. To give a well halanced lunch, they should be served with soups or sal-

It is smart to cave bits of leftover vegetables from dinner, even if they amount to only a quarter of a cup, and then to use them for a soup for luncheon the next day. Think of the colorful soups that you can create from green peas, spinach and carcats. And as for nutrition, that's there in vegetables without saying!

> Creamed Soup. (Leftover Vegetables) (Berven 4)

If cup pulp toulous, carrols, celery, neas, string beans or lima beans) I tablespoon four 2 tablespoons butter or substitute

I teaspoon salt

is teaspoon pepper 2 cups milk

Add milk and seasonings to vegetable pulp Blend butter with flour and odd to milk and vegetable pulp. Bring to a boll and cook slowly for i manuica.

*Cream of Corn Sou. (Serven 6)

2 cups corn (canned or leftover) 2 cups boiling water

Z cups milk i allee enlan

I lablespen a buller 2 lablespoons flour Salt and pepper

Place corn, builing water, milk and onion in a saucepan. Simmer for 30 menutes. Rub through a sleve Brown foste and butter together Sur in corn mixture Suamer 6 minutes Gerve very hat.

When making sandwiches, there's a tendency to fall into the same pattern and ereate real monotony. Hew Meas can quickly pep up lunches whether they to at home or in the lunch box It's easy to sections enclosy if you use low-point recom threes or same of the wedge. cuts flavored with comiento, rolan and thices These furnish nutritious tuiter fol too, and you can take if easy on butter for spreading

Lynn Hays

Perert Ideas: The tittle things yes do for fied are as important on the tig things you do for them th countries contrained but examtie, the tread tadding may be good, but it will be tetter with a appointed of apley of the butter on up or a dab of grape letty

Make your meat catteroise to teresting by travers the vegetathes in larger pleases. When had wate a little to their our off forest types of cottens for this cont design but have, dam and Characterists, etc.

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Sar Thorn I and Fate Tele These to Your Batther Kathleen Norris Says:

The Peculiar Unpopular Girl Bell Syndicate,-WHU Features.



If guests appear, she rushes upstairs; if anyone meets us on the street. Diana looks into space.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

ADMITTING that I made A a mistake in the raising of my daughter Diana, now 19, what can I do to retrieve lost ground now?" writes Ann Wood, from an Illinois city. "My husband and I were peculiarly devoted, perhaps we neglected her; she spent much of her time with my mother, who was for years an invalid," the letter goes on. "Now both husband and mother are dead, and I turn to Diana to find her as undeveloped, in many ways, as a child of 14. She is shy, awkward, self-conscious. She is pretty-or could be, but an utter lack of style, and a complete lack of interest in her own appearance handicap her terribly. If guests appear, she rushes upstairs; if anyone meets us in the street, Diana looks into space, answers in husky monosyllables, burals into nervous laughter. She will do nothing without me; begs off answering the telephone, won't even go on an errand to grocery or drug store without her incessant, 'You come, too, Mother. I hate to talk to

people. "Perhaps I should confess to you." continues the letter, "that the wonderful husband whose loss I am now mourning was not Diana's father. I was married, foolishly, at 10, was divorced three years later, when Diana was two years old. She does not remember her own father, but has somewhat idealized him, evidently, for recently I found hidden among her treasures a snap-shot of him, holding her as a baby. He also married again, has several children, and as he lives in a distant city his promise to see Diana frequently has long been forgotten.

Wants Normal Life for Girl. "I love my daughter, I want her to go on into normal and happy womanhood, but my heart sinks when I consider the changes that must take place it she is not to be a twisted freak for the rest of her life. Diana, may I add, is only too good. She is nervously conscientious about anything I ask her to do, fusses anxlously over flower arrangements or the transmission of messages, asks permission even to walk to the corner post-box to mall a letter. She reads much, likes puzzles, enters radie competitions, studies two languages. Her health is perfect; she wears glasses for far-sightedness. She has no triends. Of late, in bursts of hysteria, she has threatened to leave home, but I do not consider her serious, for she is, as I say, completely dependent upon me. Will you make any suggestions that might help us both?"

My suggestion, my dear Ann, would be that you forter this idea of running away to the extent of actually sending Diana away for awhile. In these days she can easily get work, bard work, and with bard work, and life in a boarding-house. which you must arrange for her, inevilably come friendships, associations, distractions and expansions of many sorts.

Put her on her own. Reassure her as to her appearance and her potential charm, tell her that you are acting upon her as a check, as a gramp, as indeed you are, and thankive gelation in boiling water. launch her into the world. Ecnd her Add cold water and lemon juice and chall to the consistency of thick sysstraight to some industrial center, Detroit or San Francisco, where laup Fold in dates and ofonge section. Pair take lightly cited mold but is at a premium, and tell for and that until firm. Beeve in leb you expect her to keep a journal and tore with salad dressing mixed with utilize her experiences in fiction form to me day

Missed Happy Home Life. for you locking for what ideas? lips to Miss I ran Chambers at West ern Newspoper I niet, 210 South Des-plesses Sueet, Chicago & Illinois the fields the loved, and getting in account at \$2 per cent.

THOUGHTLESS PARENTS MAY CAUSE NEUROTICS

When parents divorce and remarry they should constantly remain aware of their responsibilities toward any children by the first marriage. At best these changes are not good for growing youngsters. But whenever this has occurred the child or children must come first in all family plans. Failure to realize this has resulted in complex behavior problems which sometimes mar what might have been a beautiful, successful life. A mother writes Kathleen Norris about a daughter of 19 who is "as undeveloped, in many ways, as a child of 14," The mother is afraid her daughter will be a "twisted freak" for the rest of her life.

his place a strange man who took no particular interest in her. Her chief companion was an elderly invalid; the probability is that she had none of the happy home life to which a child has a right, small friends coming in and out, parties and pienies. In those years you weren't making her your first consideration; there was nobody to stop her from growing as shy and twisted and unhappy as you describe her now.

Now your service to her must be to see that she is equipped with the right clothes, with money for immediate expenses, and with your enment she is independent, given a she will lose her shyness and self- or wool grease, slightly warmed. consciousness, and blossom out in a dozen directions. It is because she feels so keenly your disappointment in her, your bewilderment or misgiving about her, and the primary fact of her life—that you did not turn to her until you needed her, nor think in all the years of her childhood and first youth how desperately she needed you—this is the reason that she shows you her very worst side, her quivering, nervous, blundering, stupid side,

You conclude your letter by saying "now, when we two are alone in the world. I must depend upon her for companionship—for all the happi-ness that is left." But that's exactly what you mustn't do, unless your protestations to her are only a part of the selfishness you have always shown toward her, and you henestly haven't her good at heart, after all.

Postwar Farm Shoppers

Want Machinery First Farm machinery and automobiles top the list of postwar purchases planned by American farmers, according to the nation-wide "Farmer Speaks" poll conducted for Successful Forming magazine.

In answer to the question: "What are the first big purchases you delinitely plan to make after the war to ever oil things can be but in again"". 33 per cent of the farmers named machinery, 28 per cent automobiles, 15 per cent real estate and 13 per cent that they planned to make repairs on their humes. Hefrigerators were named by 11 per eent of those farmers questioned, stoves and furnoces by 9 per cent, electrical equipment and furniture by 7 per cent, woshing machines by 5 per cent, building materials by per cent, radios by 3 per cent, and intreellaneous by 11 per cent.

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one-third rubber and two-

Back in 1823, when rubber shoes were shipped here from Brazil, they were not made according to sizes or fer left and right feet. Just thick rubber coverings that were stretched over the regular leather shoos. They were solid in winter, gooey in sum-

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One of Wonders of World UNUSUAL CONTENTMENT FOUND IN OWENS COUNTY, KENTUCKY

architects and sculptors of Greece Progressive Merchants and Working People of Owenton Had Initiative to Organize Community.

By BARROW LYONS

(EDITOR'S NOTE-This is one of a series of articles written for this paper by Barrow Lyons, staff correspondent of Western Newspaper Union. He has just completed an extended trip through the nation and in these reports gives his first-hand impressions of what rural America is thinking as we enter the third year of war and the first weeks of a presidential election year. Any opinions expressed are the writer's and not necessarily those of this newspaper.)

OWENTON, KY .- On the edge of the rich Blue Grass district of Kentucky is a farming county that is neither rich nor poor. Booms and depressions affect it less than most places. Its intelligent, hard working and deeply religious people raise nearly three-fourths of their own food, grow the best of burley tobacco, engage in dairy farming, raise cattle, pigs and poultry for the market, and sheep for wool and lambs.

CHICAGO

IND.

BIRMINGHAM

Owen county is the tobacco pro-

"I presume Kentuckians are not

more profit from three acres than

backed without coercion."

OPA is responsible because it en-

forces price ceilings at the livestock

purchasing points, but has not been

Thomas Forsee, eashier of the

First National bank of Owenten, in-

able to enforce ceilings on grain.

prove disastrous in the long run

The school system also has or-

ganized a shop project which

of repairs for farm machinery

last year, and may have done

double that amount of work this

year. With the help of publicly

plies are pald for by the state

If one were to tell Owenton elti-

zens that this was "socialism"

or "collectivism" they would

smile at you, wondering what on

earth you were talking about.

They consider it their own brand

department of education.

of view. He sald:

ter prices."

As Owenton, Kentucky, Views It . . .

acres.

different from most other folk,"

ILL.

Contentment to an unusual degree seems to have settled over Owen county, Kentucky-considerable satisfaction even with the New Deal. There are rumblings of discontent with the many restrictions which Washington bureaus have placed upon these people-but, on the whole, they feel that the Democratic administration has brought tremendous benefits to them.

Owenton, a prosperous town of some 1,200 persons, is the county seat. Owen county has a population of about 10,000. Its people patronize Owenton's progressive merchants, whose stores, in general, are more modern than those to be found in nost rural small towns.

Perhaps the secret of Owen couny's acceptance of the New Deal lies in the fact that the town and farm folk of this community have had the initiative to organize their own affairs. The New Deal agencies, finding this high degree of local initiative, have been inclined to interfere less than in communities not so much in sympathy with its basic

Owenton citizens will tell you that the spirit of co-operation which flourishes in the county stems very largely from the leadership of Reuben H. Proctor, former president of the County Farm Bureau federation, now director of the State Farm bureau. Not only did he show them how to work together, but he developed leaders who co-operated on a long-term program of advancement for the farms of the area.

Today home production of food supply is controlled by a home committee of 5 members through 233 certain amount of control is good neighborhood leaders directing the activities of 685 farm families. A total of 973 boys and girls are enrolled in the 4-H clubs, which boast 100 per cent enrollment of the youngsters in schools who are 10 years larger centers. We do feel, howold, or older.

The Owen County Farm bureau was one of the first to request the deals put across, that with a little Rural Electrical administration to help them get electricity on the part our people would have heartly



Owens County Courthouse, Owenion, Kentucky.

farm-something they had desired for years, but which the private utillties were unable to provide. Today this co-operative, operated on a nonprofit basis, has spread into nine countles and operates 500 miles of distribution line serving 2,600 con-

Co-operative Canning Plant Is Sponsored Federally

Sponsored by the United States department of education and built with federal, state and town funds, the Owenton Cannery plant is operated under the direction of the Owenton public school. Last summer the people of the county operating the plant co-operatively put up 15,-000 cans of fruit and vegetables for home use, and since the middle of September have turned out over 1,-000 cans of meats and chicken, have rendered lard and ground sausages. Among the efforts of the federal ; of rugged individualism. government most highly regarded in I

Editor M. H. House speaks:

"With the help of the federal gov- were enabled to build a satisfactory

ernment we are today enjoying a secretage system. water project. The PWA furnished | The election of a Republican giv. Nothing seems to remove the a let of labor and gave the town ernor was not so much a turning stains. What could I use to dissolve the right to pay for materials over against the New Deal as it was the water glass? a long period of years. This is be- against the manner in which state. Answer. You will do best to reing paid for out of the revenue descentracts were handled. There was place the glass instead of trying to rived from selling water at 40 cents considerable graft. Kentuckers will remove the water glass. This claim for the first 1,600 gallons a year. go along quietly for a while, but leal, when dry, is involuble with the and then on a descending scale | they are alert in a crisis."





Roger B. Whitman-WNU Peatures.

POWDERY CONCRETE

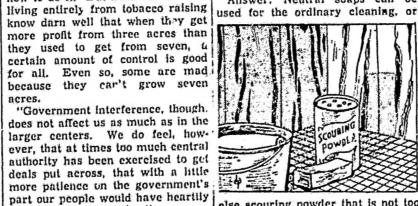
Question: My basement floor has white, powdery substance which omes out of the cement. I am unable to keep this off, no matter how often I sweep it. How can I correct

Answer: If the dusting was not apparent at any time previous, I am inclined to think that efflorescence is forming on the surface of the concrete. This condition might be caused by excessive dampness coming through the concrete to the surface of the floor carrying with it alkaline and mineral salts (in solution). On evaporation of moisture the salts crystallize, forming a white powdery substance. The condition may disappear when the greater part of the dampness in the floor has evaporated. Of course, the powder will have to be removed from time to time. Scrubbing with a wire brush may remove most of the efflorescence. A couple of soaking coats gram. Base quotas of land permitof a zinc sulphate solution may help ted under the AAA program have realleviate the condition. Try this on stricted considerably the amount of a small area of the floor to see what land placed under cultivation for toeffect it will have. Dissolve three bacco. Some farmers are inclined pounds of zinc sulphate in a gallon to grumble at these restrictions, but of water and apply liberally. After when the AAA plan was put to a reftwo or three days for drying, brush erendum vote in the November elecoff what crystals may have formed tions, 98 per cent of the farmers and apply a second treatment. Pudvoted for it-only 2 per cent against dles should be wiped up.

MARBLE WALLS

commented M. H. Bourne, editor Question: How can I restore my emeritus of the Owenton News-Hermarble vestibule wall and my tile ald, "They don't like too much conentrance floor to their original aptrol, or to be told what to do and pearance? how to do it. But men who make a

Answer: Neutral soaps can be used for the ordinary cleaning, or



else scouring powder that is not too coarse, and the same for the floor. But there are some who say that But, if the marble is in very bad in the tobacco stripping rooms, where men talk freely among themto polish the stone. You can get selves, feeling against the Roosevelt an excellent booklet on the core of marble by sending 15 cents to the wife and kids, just as I do." administration is rising. Feed has become so expensive that many Marble and Stone institute, 18 East farmers are now selling off their Forty-first street, New York. cattle and hogs-and they think the

> Stained Asbestos Shingles Question: What can I use to remove the stain on asbestos shingles, caused by the old wood in wirdow sills? The stain is under every window on our house.

clined to take the conservative point Answer: Scrub the surfaces of the "This is a very strong Democratic phosphate or washing suda, about a county. We have never had a Repound in each gallon of het water. publican in office in it. In the last election, there was a noticeable turn. The use of a scouring powder night, ing against the New Deal, however, be necessary. Rinse thoroughly with for the county went Democratic by clear water. Protect painted suronly a small majority. Many feel faces against damage by the solu-"However, tobacco acreage allocation has proven very satisfactory frame should be well puttied. Rotbecause it has brought much bet ling wood should be replaced.

Repairing Stuces

Question: I intend repairing the stucco on my house. Will you give me the percentage of sand, cement turned out more than \$4,000 worth and crushed stone to make this repair? After this is completed I infurnished instructors, repairs are cement for this purpose. made at no cost to farmers. Sup-

usual mortar mixture for stucco repair. When the stucco has been repaired, coat it with a cement basepaint which conces in powder form and is mixed with water. You can get this bad of pant from your local dealer in mason materials.

Water Glass on Glass

Question: Atout six months age pasted flowered paper pictures or French doors with water glass. Now, Under a similar arrangement we since the pictures have follow off, a hard erystallization has formed from the water glass on the glass pakes

ordinary household chemicals or



WAY FOR THE ROCKET FLIVVER W. B. Stout, Detroit engineer, warns the auto industry that the airplane industry is so far ahead of it in new ideas that it may lead the field in automobile making after the war. He thinks the aviation engineers and designers will spring models that will eclipse anything the automobile people have dreamed of.

It seems to make sense. We can imagine the aviation folks beating the gun and coming out with a flivver that will combine the best features of a runabout and a fighterplane, and with a touring model that will put mothers-in-law in the ball-turret or bomb rack.

We await these coming postwar models in the salesroom windows: The Whirlwind Coupe-A zippy number. Has cigar shaped body with two motors and collapsible wings for hopping street intersections. Has distance computer and automatic horizon sights. Rubber raft and flares optional.

The Town Car Terror-Has three motors over rear axle. Seat for pilot and co-pilot on roof. Carries spare motors in fenders. Makes 100 miles an hour. Is air-cooled and has automatic device which flashes red lights when driver has taken wrong road. Powerfully armored in rear to combat motorcycle interceptors.

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Comet Limousine-Just the number for getting anywhere regardless of obstacles. Has four concealed dynamotors. Excellent diver. Carries spare set of landing gear. On road test this car went through ten miles of flak from motorcops unscathed. Another model, badly battered, got home on two wheels and with steering wheel gone. This car operates as efficiently upside down as rightside up, a point to be considered in modern tramc.

boys and girls. The law enforce- guide. ment officials are going to love it. But we think the pedestrians are 1942, the delegated speaker devotgoing to be pretty scared by the rd most of his time to selections sight of traffic cops in scout planes. from a mail-order catalogue.

Tokyo's Mrs. Topping A woman who calls herself Mrs. Henry Topping broadcasts from Japan in sweet motherly tones, lauding the Japs as a kindly people, assuring Americans that their sons suffer no cruelties and even quoting Yank prisoners as saying, "The Jap condition, ask a marble specialist, is not a bad fellow at all. He is fighting as I am, because I am told to. But he wants to get back to his

The Japs pronounce it wrong, What they want is a Co-Barbarity Sphere.

"Ickes Bars Plan for U S to Take Over Fish Industry."-Headline.

Omigosh! The thought that there was any talk of federal operation shingles with a solution of trisodium of fishing astounds us. Washington controlling the fish catch, mending the nets, telling the halibut when to run and announcing a code for mackerel? It unnerves us.

We are skeptical about results. A that the results of government con. tion. You might be able to prevent carp or hake may give in but walt trols have not justified their great or minimize the staining by filling until they try to tell a big blue, multiplication. Farmers feel that all spaces and crevices between the bass or kingfish what to do about too much extravagance is going to shingles and window frames with a holding the line! And we won't becaulking compound. All openings lieve Chester Bowles is all he is between the sections of the window, cracked up to be until we see how he comes out in an argument with a swordfish,

> As Elmer Twitchell says, a ceiling on fish is better than fish on the celling, anyhow.

It will be weeks before we can step into a fish market without thinktend to go over the critice house with Ing of administrators and confera cement wash, or paint job. 1 ences. Not for a long time can we believe there is a certain kind of gaze upon a filet of sole without thinking of arbitration boards. We Answer: One part portland saw a holled cod today and couldn't cement (white or gray) and three escape the feeling Harold Ickes was parts of clean coarse sand is the in the background, with lemon and parsley.

> "Governor Dewey Cuts Budget Five Millian "-Headline.

A thing like that can make a man an orteast in this country today, . . .

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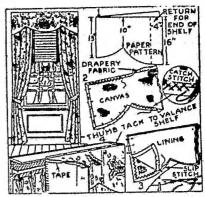
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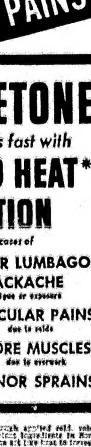
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METHODIST CHURCH BETHEL TEMPLE

M. A. Gordon, pastor 9:45. Church School, Miss Minnle week, 25 cents; second week, 15 Wilson, supt. The children enjoy singing Christian hymns,

11:00. Sunday Morning Worship, organist. Holy Communion. Subject of sermon, "The Friendship of

6:30 Youth Fellowship. Leaders, Bobby Croteau and Herbertina

Tuesday evening, March 7, the Eleanor Gordon Gulid will entertain the Women's Society of Christian Service. Pot luck supper and entertainment.

Stand fast therefore in the libus free, and be not entangled again 11 with the yoke of bondage. Gal. 5:

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Rev. John J. Foster, Minister 9:45 Church School, Classes for all, Miss Ida Packard, Supt.

11:00 Morning Worship, Sermon Topic, "Spiritual Housecleaning." Children's Story. "The Key to the Golden Palace,"

6:30 Pilgrim Fellowship. The en-Store for repair and clothes to tire program will be devoted to clean Wednesday and Saturday, singing favorite songs, both old EXCEL CLEANSERS AND DY- and new. If you enjoy singing, ERS, INC., Auburn, Maine. 44tf here's your opportunity. All teen age young people are invited.

The Year 'round Club will meet on Monday evening, March 6, at at 7:30 o'clock. The Junior Gulld will meet on

Wednesday evening, March 8, at the Church at 6:30 for a pot luck supper. At 7:30 o'clock an interesting program will be presented. There will be a meeting of the Deacons, Assessors and Trustees at

LEWIS P. CHADWICK, Bethel, op the Manse on Friday evening, March 10, at 8 o'clock. Our next reception of new members will be on Easter Sunday.

April 9. Mr. Foster will be glad to discuss this matter with all those who are interested. CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Services Sunday morning at "Man" is the subject of the Les-

con-Sermon that will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 5. The Golden Text in: "God created

man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male under the direction of the primary and female created he them" (Gen- teacher, Mrs. Robert Billings, The The citations from the Bible include the following passages:

Know se that the Lord he is God: it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves we are his peo- boys' races, was crowned king. ple, and the sheep of his pasture' Padma 100: 31

Wednesday evening meeting on second Wednesday of each month. THE BRYANT POND BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev Franklin Keeblwetter, Pastor A Keepsake" Text, Luke 22: 19. The Ordinance of the Lord's Supper at the close of the morning Rolfe, 2nd, Mary Kneeland; 3rd,

Sunday School, 11 45; Juniors, 30. Young People, 7 00; Evening Service, 7:30.

Prayer nervae Wednesday evening at the parsonage, Jumor Choir Thurnday Adult Choir Friday evening

In Glicad, Feb 25, Mrs. George

Leighton, aged 79 years. In Bethel, March 1. Miss Ann Maria Robertson, aged 101 years.

HANOVER Correspondent - Mrs. W. W. Worcester Last week the telephone company had men trimming and cutting down trees that interfered with the telephone wires They cut down four large clms on the so-called Smith farm, now owned by C. O. Poor Some of them were more than 25 inches in diameter at the base the hundred and four rings were counted inflicated the trees

ting them up for wood. Ceveral young people from Rum ford were at the Morse camp, Howard's Lake, oking one day last

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Also Amil Work as Usual BRYANT POND, MAINE

Elizabeth Dunham spent the week June Merrill Ella Whitney, at Oxford.

Mrs. Rita Proctor went to East 3rd, Charles Smith Corinth Monday to assist her mo. Sr. boys' downhill-1st, Reginald tion and two alternates. Special singing, Mrs. Mildred Lyon, ther, Mrs. Emery Ryerson, in the Kneeland; 2nd, Maurice Coulombe; care of her grandmother, Mrs. 3rd, Richard Rolfe Annie Amero. Lee Dyment, who has been ill

with measles, is recovering. Mrs. Winnie E. Ridion, who has

weeks, is recuperating. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cummings and son Harlan from Beebe, Vt., have been guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ross.

The Dedication Day was held Leap Year Party at the Universalist Church Sunday morning with Rev. Eleanor B. ed a Leap Year Party for the Forbes leader. Others assisting young people of the community on were Myrtle Bonney, Lena Dean, Clara Gordon, Gladys Ellingwood, spent an evening of games and Madeline Jacobs, Alura Andrews and Louvie Coffin.

Earle Edwin were week end guests and costume race were jolly numof his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earle bers. When Ronald Kendall arriv-Palmer of Bethel. Earle Edwin ed with 11 of his schoolmates who remained to visit until his mo- had been having a birthday party, ther's return from New York.

MIDDLE INTERVALE

ing at Mrs. Richard Carter's cake with three candles. Maurice Thursday, Mrs. Grace Buck was Coulombe and his mother, Mrs. the home of Miss Priscilla Carver In charge of the meeting. The Veronica Coulombe, sang several subject was "Food From Your songs in French and the school Cellar Shelves."

Ernest Morrissette is working for Richard Carter. Howard Gunther visited Teddy

Carter Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bartlett were in Rumford Thursday.

Mrs. Ray Cotton, Mechanic Falls ls staying at Richard Carter's for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Parsons and children of Rumford were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Buck's

Sunday. Mrs. Fitz Vail was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Buck and Mrs. Leona Buck Sunday,

WEST BETHEL

Winter Carnival The West Bethel school held a Winter Carnival Saturday, Feb. 26, Knights. girl receiving the most points the various races was crowned queen. Ruth Hutchinson was the winner and Reginald Kneceland,

Sr. girls' 100 yd. dash=1st, Ruth Hutchison; 2nd, Alta Morrill Sr. girls' downhill . 1st, Ruth Hutchinson; 2nd, Alta Morrill Sr girls' cross country 1st, Ruth Mrs. Mertle Hardy. Hutchinson, 2nd, Alta Morrill

Jr. girla' 100 yd. dash = 1st, Patty Morning Worship, 19:29. Sermon, Rolfe; 2nd, Mary Kneeland; 3rd, June Merrill Jr. girls' downhill - 1st Patty

June Merrill Jr. girls' downhill

For First Selectman, First Assessor

ALLE A BROWNS

June Merrill Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Correspondent ... Jr. girls' cross country-1st, Mary for the year 1944 will be held at Mrs. Roxle Inman and Mrs. Kneeland; 2nd, Patty Rolfe; 3rd, be held at the City Hall, Bangor,

Rolfe: 2nd, Mary Kneeland; 3rd.

end with the former's sister, Mrs. Sr. boys' jumping-1st, Richard 9.30 A. M. Rolfe: 2nd, Reginald Kneeland;

Sr. hoys' 100 yd, dash-1st, Jos-

land: 3rd, Burton Rolfe Sr. boys' cross country-1st, Jos- Basis of representation will be been in poor health for several eph Kneeland; 2nd, Reginald Knee- as follows: land; 3rd, Charles Smith

the races and the children all en-, Republican candidate for Governor joyed a happy day.

Pleasant Valley Grange sponsor-Tuesday evening, Feb. 29. Over 50 dancing with Mrs. Clara Rolfe at the plane and Donald Morrill with Earle A. Palmer Jr. and son his drums. The leap year march 'at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon. with him at his home the group. in the hall sang "Happy Birthday" with Marilyn Abbott leading at the plano. "Ronny" was presented with The Farm Bureau held its meet- a purse of money and a birthday children sang two songs. The gentlemen drew numbers for the boxa which the ladies had brought and a bountiful luncheon was enjoyed by all in the dining room where hot coffee had been prepared by Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Grover.

Mrs. Clayton Kendall is assisting Mrs. Clarence Rolfe with her housework for a few days. Mrs. Herman Mason was in Ber-

lin on Tuesday.

NORTH WOODSTOCK

and children visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Farwell, at East Bethel.

Thursday night with Christine land last Friday with Cloud

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole, Mrs. Mary Ann Knights and Mrs. Otis who won the most points in the Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cole were at Rumford.

> Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitman were at Bethel recently. Mrs. Ed Taylor and children visited one day last week with

Political Advertisement The First District Republican

Maine, on Friday, April 14, at First-To elect two delegates to 40 YEARS AGO-1904 the Republican National Conven-

Second-To elect a Committee.

eph Knelcand; 2nd, Reginald Knee- business that may properly come dwelling house, and will carry on before the Convention.

> Each City, Town and Plantation in 1940 and for each additional 25 YEARS AGO-1919 65 votes or less than 125 votes, one

delegate. Per order First Republican District Committee

ROSCOE G. BAILEY, Chairman FRED C. SCRIBNER JR.,

Secretary Pro Tem | King Wight. **Political Advertisement** The Republican State Convention, The State Committee will be in for the year 1944 will be held at session at the Bangor House, Ban-

tional Convention and seven alternates.

Second-To elect five Presidential Electors. Third-For the purpose of elect-

ing a State Committee.

Fourth-To elect District Committee for each Congressional District. Fifth-To elect . County Com-

mittee for each County. Sixth-To formulate and adopt a declaration of principles or platform in support of which the Republicans will appeal to the electors of Maine in the coming campaign and in the

September election. Seventh-To transact any other business that may properly come before the Convention. Basis of representation will be as follows:

Each City, Town and Plantation Mr. and Mrs. Willard Farwell will be entitled to one Delegate and for each 125 votes cast for the Republican candidate for Governor in 1940 and for each additional Sandra Stowell visited last 65 votes or less than 125 votes, one delegate.

Delegates must be elected subse-C. James Knights was at Port- quent to the date of this call in

Delivering in village, full load

Bethel is to have a first class laundry. Mr. Garey of Norway has District purchased the buildig of Charles Mason on Main St., which has for-Third-To transact any other merly been used as a store and the laundry business.

East Bethel - Porter Farwell loaded two cars with cordwood last week,-F. B. Howe went to Boston Mrs. Billings entertained the will be entitled to one Delegate last week with a carload of potacontestants at a theatre party after and for each 125 votes cast for the toes, mostly of his own raising.

North Newry-On the evening of Saturday, March 1, over 50 relatives and friends gathered at the Wight homestead to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Willard Barker and Sarah

in the Convention. the Auditorium, Bangor, Maine, gor, at 2 P. M. of the day of the beginning on Thursday, April 13, Convention to receive the credentials.

First-To elect seven delegates On the evening of the 13th, the at large to the Republican Na- Resolutions Committee of the Convention will be in session. Per Order

Republican State Committee LLOYD B. MORTON, Chairman E. MAY CHAPMAN,

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For Second Selectman, Second Assessor and Second Overseer of Poor Vote for One	For Tax Collector
CARROLL E ARROTT	WALTER E BARTLET
For Third Selectman, Third Assessor and Third Overseer of Poor Vote for One	For Road Commission
J. CLEVELAND BARTLETT	EUBEPTO P. BROWN
RODNEY K HOWE	For School Committee
For Town Clerk Vote for One	ELMER E. BENNETT

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